ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS

Negro Highwayman Sentenced to Fifteen Years.

REMODEL CHURCH

Masons Going to Richmond Conclave-Knights of Pythias' Fair

Opens Tonight.

Fifteen years in the state penitentiary be sent to the penitentiary, Washington and H. Noel Garner. He was olding up and robbing Jo-

watch and knife and pass

a few hours afterward West was arrested, and most of the stolen covered. Two other suspects eing unable to identify them liminary hearing held in the ort following their arrest. The paximum penalty for highway robbery is eighteen years and the

the First Baptist Church, held yestercompleted for remodeling the interior of that structure. The ork will be begun this winter. The entire interior will be completely changed. and the entrances on the front also will be altered considerably. Within a short rear a financier, a merchant prince or a time plans for the work will be passed Upon and the contract awarded. Timberman, an officer in the

orrow evening. commandery, will attend a grand con- Senator Dolliver's favorite hymn. e of the Knights Templar, which will be keld in Richmond Thursday evening.

A deserted automobile was found on Queen street, near Fayette street, last it was taken back to Washington. William Willis, a well known resident of Fairfax county, died last Saturday night at his home near Mount Vernon. The was eighty-seven years old. Besides his widow several children survive him. The body was today forwarded to Brandy,

Culpeper county, for burial. A special meeting of the board of poo'clock tonight to elect a successor to Policeman Herbert Knight, who resigned.

of Oriental Lodge, Knights of Pythias. The hall has been tastefully decorated for the occasion. It is expected that the attendance tonight will be large. Special features are planned for each

In the police court this morning the case of Emma Carter, colored, arrested on suspicion of stealing a metallic box containing \$16, together with a number of valuable papers from John W. Summers, was continued until tomorrow morning. The box and papers were

recovered, but not the money. Gibbon Street Lot Sold.

Ernest O. Rammel and others have sold to Harry H. Simpson a lot and brick building thereon situated on the south side of Gibbon street between Alfred and Columbus streets. A deed for same was placed on record today in the office of the clerk of the corporation court in the corporation court this morning

R. H. Cox was appointed administrator of the estate of the late Mary T. Moore. A bievele found vesterday by Policeman Garvey on the ball grounds on North Alfred street was this morning identified as the property of Samuel A. Tucker, and it was turned over to him. | was entitled to draw. He firmly refused exhibition drill tonight by the Alexandria | When Mr. Hill was elected to the Sen Light Infantry at Armory Hall, which will be witnessed by a number of officer of the new Leesburg company.

The Spirit of the Boy.

If he has no spirit, "get up," gumption or active ambition, college will qualify as senator for several months. to him more harm than good. So every he isn't, it may nudge him up and lead ate he was informed that there was a him to take on a resolution that will salary credited to him on the books of

This is very important. We know two ooys whom a father sent to the best colleges; he spent lots of money on them; hey fared fairly well at school; they are now loading around home, waiting the silver spoon to come their way Having no impulse, no initiative, no spir- But it was explained to Mr. Hill that, their education doesn't amount to a owing to the custom, it was lying straw. Still this thing goes on and on, and the fancy keeps dazzling to change the books. He refused to efore the eyes that education is a nest draw the salary even to turn it back into if eggs to bring in from the haymow. | the Treasury. After the expiration of two he hens and starting the haymow. The re boy can gather the eggs

Fever in Plants.

From the Lendon Globe,

Sablon. When a human being has a fever he loses flesh on account of the increased combustion, the quantity of carbonic acid respired from the lungs being augmented from 70 to 100 per cent. may be caused by a wound, rapidly consumes its reserves of organic matter and becomes enfeebled, sometimes sufficiently to cause its death. M. Leclerc du Sablon has experimented with potatoes rendered feverish by cutting them. The temperature soon rises about one degree, and the quantity of carbonic acid given If the potato survives, its "respiration" after a few days becomes normal, but it falls into an enfeebled state, resembling that of a person convalescent from a

Running for Office.

candidate sends coal to them as ain't difficulty in carrying it out.

From the Louisville Courier-Journal. "I think I'll send a ton of coal to every widow in the district. How is that for a scheme?"

widows as yet? They control the votes.'

TRIBUTES PAID TO THE MEMORY OF DOLLIVER

Late Senator's Character and Life Work Praised in Founddry Church Services.

Prentiss Dolliver were held yesterday afternoon at the Foundry M. E. Church. The services were simple, and when the audience lifted its voice in the hymn 'Nearer, My God, to Thee." tears came the eyes of many of the singers.

The late statesman's pew was draped black and the auditorium was filled with churchmen and laymen who knew the senator as a friend.

Secretary Wilson of the Department Agriculture delivered an eloquent eulogy in which he said the character of Senato Dolliver reflected honor on the church. Rev. Wilbur P. Thirkield, president of Howard University, opened the exercises Charles W. Smith of Portland, Ore., wl Rev. Dr. William R. Wedderspoon, pashis sorrow, and Assistant Attorney Gen-

Trained for His Life Work.

"When the Ruler of the earth wants something for the good of his people, something that is to endure. He gives the rearing of the child that is to do the servfamily that had charge of the upbringing of our Dolliver was in all respects in a position to school the future preacher of

"His faher was a minister, and it was he home lessons, strongly impressed, that molded the boy. His college life did not efface his home training. His was not the kind of a family in which to

manufacturing magnate

"Senator Dolliver crowded half a century's work into twenty years. For many hrand Royal Arch Chapter of Masons in years the states and the nation have and M. L. Dinwiddie, high struggled to enact legislation now finally Mount Vernon Chapter, Royal on the statute books, in the securing of h Masons, this city, accompanied by which Senator Dolliver gave the best W. Latham, W. B. Davis, C. W. years of his life. All his previous training officers of Mount Vernon Chap- and research was in preparation for this Arch Masons, will leave here work. When he spoke every senator Richmond to attend the stayed in his seat and the galleries were convocation of the Grand Chap- crowded. Iowa mourns her statesman Virginia, which begins at 8 and wonders where she will look for one to continue the service During the service Mrs. Otis D. Sweet Dominion Commandery, Knights of Foundry M. E. Church sang "Jesus Templar, and F. W. Latham, William B. Is Mine." Just before the benediction Davis, C. W. Fletcher, officers of that "Abide With Me" was sung. This was

Senator's Life Blameless.

Bishop Smith took occasion in his address to deplore the scarcity in public life of men of Senator Dolliver's character. He said in part:

tor's caliber in public life there would farwell and the District of Co- not be such dishonesty and people would liceuse tag was 2369, and the not dare to breathe a word of scandal Maryland tag 3280. The police say the against the people's servants. It is demachine must have broken down. Later plorable that the people, the press and the public ofttimes dare to speak in such degrading terms of their men in high

"Whether it is true or untrue that certain men are false to their trust, publicity should not go to the extent of vilifying the man for some little shortcoming. The late senator's life was blameless, and I doubt if there has ever lice commissioners will be held at 7 been a purer man in politics in this coun-

"While he was religious, he was not a All applicants for the position are ex- hypocrite. He did not flaunt his religion. Such men as Jonathan P. Dolliver hate A bazaar, to be continued throughout cant as much as they hate sin The the week, will be opened tonight at charm of his personality was wonderful. Odd Fellows' Hall under the auspices His was a superb manliness, of which the American people may well be proud.

WHILE HE WAS GOVERNOR

Sum of \$4,000 Still in Treasury to the Credit of David B. Hill.

Because the late David B. Hill did not believe he had a right to receive a salary as senator from New York while he still continued to be Governor of the Empire state there is upward of \$4,000 in the United States Treasury today which, under the customs of the Senate, Mr. Hill As stated in The Star there will be an during his lifetime to accept this money. ate the disbursing officer of the Senate,

as is the custom, immediately entered Mr. Hill's name on the books and credited him with the salary, but owing to the peculiar situation in New York Mr. Hill continued to act as Governor of the spirit of a boy that deter- New York, the office which he held at mines whether he should go to college the time of his election to the Senate, After Mr. Hill had finally resigned as boy that goes to college should inquire Governor of New York and had come to figily, "Am I that sort of a chap?" If Washington to take his seat in the Sen-

Could Not Change Books.

"Change the books," said Mr. Hill; "I the time stated.

is not so. Education is in getting years the Secretary of the Treasury covlowing the custom of turning back al! unexpended balances of appropriations at the expiration of two years. It would require a special appropriation by Congress Not only animals but plants may suffer to make the money due Mr. Hill availa-and die of fevers, says M. Leclerc du ble. But it is not considered likely that Mr. Hill's executors will make any attempt to get it.

NO ABSINTHE FOR SWISS. A plant attacked by a fever, which New Law, Voted by Referendum, Is

Now in Effect.

GENEVA, October 15, 1910. territory. The new law, which was voted dition of the rural districts of the Rus- with the nib and inkstand used by him by referendum about eighteen months sian interior, which has just been pub- on the occasion, which have been presented off increases several hundred per cent. ago, has come into force. The referendum-a double-edged sword-was carried principally by the cotes in the Swiss-Ger- in the provinces. From this it would ap- order that they may be in the parliament up country is now a responsible trainman cantons, where little absinthe is consumed. The canton of Neuchatel, where

| man cantons, where little absinthe is con| pear that the state of present affairs is |
| connaught opens the first union parlia| I often sumed. The canton of Neuchatel, where worse in some respects than ever before. ment next month. are the principal absinthe factories, sup- Not only has incendiarism all over the The great seal of the union is in course plying not only this country, but France, country not diminished, but is now being of manufacture in London, and will be the extent of \$400,000, while the distiller- result being at least two new forms of ies demand three times this amount. .

Gold is being mined near Marrisville,

75c Paon Velvets,

These Handsome Satin-face Paon Velvets are on the top wave of pop-ularity this season for dress trimnings and millinery. This is the superior imported qualty, and comes in a full range of street and evening shades, also

hundred shades to choose

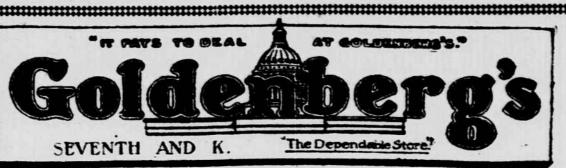
One day at 59c a yard instead of

100 Shades, 59c. Wide, 93/4c Yard.

100 pieces of 27-inch Plain Color Daisy Outing Flannels, in light blue, pink, cream and white. A heavy fleeced quality you will like for making winter garments. One day at 9%c a yard.

12½ c Outing

Flannel, 27 Inches



"Wunderhose" Hosiery Are Guaranteed

-to wear four months from date of purchase without having to be mended in the foot. Any that fail to "make good" will be replaced by the makers free of charge. We are Washington agents.

Horn Hairpins, 6c a Dozen.

Worth Up to 25c Dozen. Our buyer is back from a trip to New York with many big snaps.

Among them this lot of manufacturer's "seconds" of Horn Hairpins, in straight, curved and crimped styles, at 6c a dozen.

> Kinds sold regularly up to 25c a dozen. One dozen on a card for 60 (Notion Dept.)

In tortoise shell, amber or black.

Colonial Rugs, \$1 Values,

Rag Rugs, in pretty combination col ore, finished with fringed end: Strictly reversible kind. Size 25x50 inches. Attractive floor coverings for bathroom, hall or bed Regular \$1.00 value, at 60c eacl

Sale of Beautiful Dresses and Costumes Offered At 33 Cents on the Dollar.

Rich, Distinctive and Elegant Garments for Street, Afternoon and Evening Wear at Sensationally Low Prices.

This big purchase of over one thousand garments divided into three groups, priced at these truly sensational figures:



Lot One— Worth \$15, \$20 and \$25.

Lot Two-Worth \$30, \$35 and \$40.

Never have you known such values in Dresses. Never in the history of this wide-awake department have we been able to gather such a magnificent lot of street,

afternoon and evening dresses to retail at such remarkably low prices. Styles are beautiful beyond compare, and Washington women crowded the suit and dress

Lot Three— Worth \$45, \$50, \$60 and \$75.

Every dress and costume in the collection possesses the distinctive styles, beauty and unmistakable class found only in the costliest creations.

The Evening Gowns:

section all day today in their eagerness to take advantage of the phenomenal values.

Materials consist of handsome Satin Chiffons, Messalines, Silk Eoliennes, French Voiles over silk, Crepe de Chine, Taffeta Silks, Chiffon Marquisette, Duchesse Satins, etc.

The Dresses:

Materials consist of Prunellas, Soliels, Broadcloths, French Serges, All-silk Crepes, Chiffon over Persians, Chiffon over Crepe, Satin Directoire, Imported Beatrice Cloth, etc.

There are Silk Dresses overdraped with chiffon, Imported Gowns of chiffon, elegant models of chiffon and Persian silks, imported voiles with satin flounce fold, Evening Gowns with low necks, Magnificently Braided Cloth Dresses, Fascinating Silk and Cloth Gowns in hobble effects. Choice of all the most favored autumn shades, including king's blue, bronze, bluet, light blue, navy, pearl, terra cotta, combination effects, cream, pink, rose, mais, tan, red, havana, also white and black.

Three Startling Silk Leaders.

With these offerings of seasonable Silks we surpass our best record of the past and establish new price-making that will be difficult to better. Silk buyers who appreciate the opportunity of supplying their fall and winter needs at immense savings should not miss attending this important trade event.

\$1.25 Imported Satin Messaline, 36 inches wide, extra heavy rich satin face quality. Fashion's most favored silks for waists and handsome costumes. In a full assortment of street and evening shades, also black and white. Sale 88C

39c Pure Silk Satin Foulards, with beautiful satin luster, in navy blue and black grounds, showing a large variety of the newest space designs. neat figures. Sale price, 39c

89c Yard-wide Black Taffeta, all pure silk, extra heavy weight and rustling quality, with brilliant luster. Every yard fully guaranteed to wear. Offered in tomorrow's sale at the wonder-fully low price of ward fully low price of, yard

\$25 and \$30 Room Size Rugs, 9x12=foot Axminster, Velvet and (P) Brussels Rugs, Choice at . . . @D

Choice of Largest Room Size (9x12 it.) Rugs, consisting of Heavy Pile Fabric Axminster. Velvet and 10-wire Brussels Rugs-the well known Alexander Smith & Sons' make. Large variety of patterns, including floral, medallion, conventional and oriental designs, in colorings of red, blue, green, tan, rose and yellow.

Rugs suitable for parlor, library, office, dining or bed room use. Regular \$25.00 and \$30.00 qualities at \$15.98 each. Fine Quality Axminster and 10-

9x12 Largest Room Size Brussels Rugs, in handsome floral and conentional designs. In rich color combinations to suit any room decoration. All-wool, 9-wire grade. Regular price, \$8.98

Wire Brussels Rugs, size 8 ft. 3 in. by 10 ft. 6 in. for large rooms. Choice of floral, conventional and oriental designs. Colorings of red, green, blue, rose and tan. Extra heavy weight. Regular prices, \$22.50 \$13.75 and \$25.00. Sale price.

9x12 Largest Room Size Wilton Velvet Rugs, made in one piece. Heavy hemmed ends. Splendid assortment of conventional, medallion and floral designs in reds, greens, tan and rose combinations.. Reguprices, \$35.00 \$22.50

Misses' & Children's Union Suits

Worth Up to \$1.00 Choice and \$1.25 Each ... Choice

Just when cold weather sends you after winter-weight underwear we are ready with a timely offering of Misses' and Children's Union Suits at wonderful savings. A wholesaler's samples and surplus, consisting of Ribbed Fleeced-lined and Part Wool Union Suits, in ecru, white and grav. All sizes in the lot.

Perfect, form-fitting, elastic quality garments that will keep the children snug and warm all winter. Think of the unexpected savings offered tomorrow-choice of Union Suits worth up to \$1.00 and \$1.25, for 39c

Women's Silk and Wool Underwear; shirts with high neck, long sleeves and ankle drawers. The Forest Mills \$2.00 Women's Part Wool Underwear;

shirts with high neck and long sleeves; anand long sleeves; ankle drawers. Forest \$1.00 Mills make Women's Part Wool Extra-size Underwear: shirts high neck and long sleeves:

ankle drawers. The \$1.00 Forest Mills make Women's Medium Weight Underwear, in cotton and lisle; shirts made with high neck, long and short sleeves; ankle and knee pants, with French band or tight top; bleached and unbleached; also fleece and unbleached; also fleece lined, with lace-trimmed 50c

Each

Women's Fleeced Union Suits, high neck, long sleeves and ankle drawers. Regular 50c 39c Women's Light Weight Underwear. fine and wide ribbed styles; shirts

with high neck, long and short sleeves; ankle and 25c knee drawers. Each.... Women's Fleeced Underwear; shirts with high neck and long sleeves; ankle drawers. Regular

25c values. Offered for one day Boys' Part Wool Flat Underwear. in white and gray; shirts with high neck, long sleeves; ankle drawers; all sizes. Prices arranged according to sizes, from 95c

Infants' All-cotton Fleece-

lined Shirts; all

Misses' and Children's Underwear; shirts with high neck, long sleeves and ankle pants; all 25c sizes. Special at Children's Black Pants, 50c ankle style, with band ... Infants' Part Wool Shirts, with

Boys' Heavy Fleeced Underwear; shirts with high neck and

long sleeves; all sizes. Spe- 25c

high neck and long sleeves; finished with silk crocheted edge and pearl buttons; also 25c bands of part wool. Each .. Rueben's Shirts for Infants, in silk, silk and wool, all wool and part wool: made with no buttons,

which means, no trouble. Prices arranged, according to \$1.80 sizes, from 50c

81x90 Seamless Sheets, A Snap Purchase of 100 doz. 510 of the Regular 79c Grade..

Nowadays you must pay almost as much for seamed sheets of inferior quality as we offer these SEAMLESS SHEETS for

They are 81x90 Bleached Sheets, of heavy linen-finish sheeting cotton, hand torn and ironed, finished with 3-inch hem.

So-called "seconds," but the faults are trivial and do not hurt the wear or appearance at all,

81x90 Bleached Sheets, with neat center seam. Double bed size. Hand torn and ironsize. Hand torn and fron-ed. Worth 59c each. Sale 39c price..... 45x36 Linen-finish Bleached Pillow Cases, large size. Hand torn and ironed. Worth 1216c each. Sale price.... 3 cases of 11-4 Crochet Bedspreads,

heavy raised mar-seilles patterns. \$1.19 Worth \$1.50..... Yard-wide Bleached Cotton, a close - woven quality, free from starch. Regular 10c value..... 36-inch Superior Quality Cambric, fine soft finish quality; suitable for making women's undergarments. Worth 834c

a large size. In a large assortment of

heavy raised mar-

Standard Apron Ginghams, in blue, brown and green checks; warranted fast colors. Worth Sc yard. Special 500C 5,000 yards of Dress Ginghams, in blue, brown, pink, tan and oxblood: in checked, striped and broken plaid effects; also plain colors. Worth 10c yard. 634C Special at..... 27-inch Plain Color Chambray, a fine soft finish grade, for making women's and children's house dresses and waists. Worth 10c yard. One day at ... 27-inch White Wool Flannel, a fine soft finish saxon wool quality. Worth spe yard. 25c Special at..... Unbleached Domet Flannel, a heavy close nap quality; for infants' wearables. Worth Sc

\$1.00 Dress Fabrics At 59c a Yard.

Never in the history of the store have we been able to offer such extraordinary values right at the beginning of the season in the newest and most fashionable Dress Goods.

Choice is offered of the following stylish weaves:

54-inch Hop Sacking, 54-inch Camel's Hair, 54-inch Diagonals.

54-inch Cheviots. 54-inch Two-tone Fancy Ef-54-inch Crash Suitings. 54-inch Mannish Suitings.

Choose from a representative line of the most desirable autumn shades, also navy blue and black.

Actual one-dollar Dress Goods at 59c a yard.

MAN BROADCLOTH, 50 inches wide -the desirable chiffen-finish quality; a rich satin-face fine twilled-back grade; perfect crow-black. Sale price, 89c SOC ALL-WOOL STORM SERGEa hard-twisted, double-twill quality with clay worsted finish; 44 inches wide; in black, navy blue and all wanted street 75c

\$1.50 BLACK IMPORTED GER-

\$1.00 ALL-WOOL BLACK BAS-KET-WEAVE NATTE SUITING, 50 inches wide-one of the smartest and most popular black fabrics for unlined tailored suits and separate skirts and black Sala pris black. Sale price, yard 75c ALL-WOOL BLACK IMPORT-ED FRENCH VOILE, with crispy wire-weave finish; firm, close-woven mesh; 44 inches wide; perfect jet black. Sale price, 49c mesh; 44 inches wide; per-

Australian Wool Blankets \$1.79 Pair--Worth \$3.

We bought ten cases of Fine Quality 11-quarter Double-bed Size Austrian Wool Blankets from a wholesaler who was anxious to sell. In white and gray with soft shaded pink and blue borders. Fine French combed fleece that will not become "knottv" in laundering.

Tomorrow at \$1.79 a pair instead of \$3.00. Blankets, in white and gray, with pink and blue borders; soft fleece finish; 11-4 double-bed Sold regularly at 98C \$1.50 pair. Sale price...... Extra Fine Quality and Heavyweight California Wool Blankets. Sale price large double-bed size; in white or

gray, with pink and blue borders;

also scarlet with various color

An all-wool blanket costing many times more does not contain more warmth Extra Large Size Heavy-weight Comforts, covered with French sateens and printed cambries; filled with white sheet cotton; in floral and dresden designs; light and dark colors. Soid regularly at \$3.00. \$1.98

Crib Blankets, soft fleece finish

tapebound edges; in white,

borders. Sold regularly at \$7.00 pair. Sale \$4.95 ders. Worth 75c pair. Sale 39c Ocean Pearl Buttons, 50 Worth 10c, 15c and 18c Dozen

An immense variety of styles to choose from-including fancy carved, fish-eye, beaded edge and plain shapes, in sizes from 12 to 20 ligne.

Some have slight defects in the finish, but to all appearances they are the same as perfect buttons.

One dozen on a card for 5c. Kinds sold regularly at 10c, 15c and 18c (Notion Department-First Floor.)

shades. Sale price, yard 121/2c yard......

BURNING PEASANT HOMES

Method of Taking Revenge on Those

Who Become Small

Landowners.

Foreign Correspondence of The Star. ST. PETERSBURG, October 12, 1910.

agrarian crime. The peasants no longer The new law means a revolution in this set fire to the landlord's property, but fellow-villagers.

demnity is provided by the new law to perpetrated from quite new motives, the completed at an early date. "Purty fair. But what if the other authorities will at first experience some burn down their own, and that of their Martin Robertson, aged twenty-eight, passanger brakemen Country, and it is predicted that the Swiss burn down their own, and that of their Martin Robertson, aged twenty-eight, For instance, emigrants to Siberia de- sweetheart, Grace Eller, aged eighteen, right into the office and confessed his

small holdings. Many of these new peasant farmers told M. Yermoloff that hey live in terror of this kind of ven-LATEST RUSSIAN TERROR seance from the members of the com- Opening to Railroad Life Popular closely you will be told that in these and Where Native Women Lift Their no pigs or goats at large; they are con-

> Table. Nib and Inkstand Used for South African Union Act. Foreign Correspondence of The Star.

SOUVENIRS GO TO CAPE TOWN.

LONDON, October 16, 1910. The table on which King Edward sign-Considerable attention has been drawn ed the commission giving royal assent Absinthe is now unobtainable in Swiss to a rather alarming account of the con- to the South African union act, together lished by M. Yermoloff, ex-minister of to the union government by the king. agriculture, after a personal investigation have been dispatched to South Africa in

Slayer of Girl Is Dead.

Tobacco of the new crop is being marketed at Petersburg. Va., in fairly large quantities, and satisfactory prices are being obtained. The highest price the past week was \$11.50 a hundred pounds.

Tobacco of the new crop is being marketed from Pittsburg, and two hours frauquier county, Va. M. C. Clay, expert from Pittsburg, a few districtive. The highest price the past week was \$11.50 a hundred pounds.

Tobacco of the new crop is being marketed from prices are being of liquidation before starting, and, worse than this, members of the village computes the probably ranks first in his line of business in the United States.

All these men work within a few feet of liquidation before starting, and, worse there long, for his hon-lest, limited from prices are being of liquidation before starting, and, worse there long, for his hon-lest, limited from prices are being of liquidation before starting, and, worse than this, members of the village computes the last night, and two hours last last night, and two hours lestly, he was promoted. At the age of liquidation before starting, and, worse there, late last night, and two hours last last night. The last last night las

DUTIES OF THE TRAINMEN. With High School Boys.

From the Youth's Companion. Practically all the most desirable po- loyalty to the interests of the public and sitions on the railroads today are oc- the railroad.

tion of auditor at \$5 or \$6 a day. used to play round the cars and twist age, his height, his weight. Some of these brakes just for fun in a small yard questions are very pertinent and search-

at play what he would one day do with his earnestness and enthusiasm. The telegraph operator at \$1.25 a day, who necticut, as enumerated in the thirworked overtime without a murmur, teenth census, is 1,114,756. This is an ager of a big system.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., October 24 .- Still more interesting is the story of Martin Robertson, aged twenty-eight, passenger brakeman. One day he made who shot and instantly killed his a mistake and derailed a train. He went stroy their insured homes in this method at Montmorenci, nine miles west of negligence. Before long, for his hon-

of each other in one railroad station. The building swarms with such men, and when you come to look into the matter all other cases talent and ability have counted, but the main characteristic of these men has been their strict attention to duty and their life-long devotion and

railroad I have seen the agent of a that has become particle. The ranks from the high schools. The young fellow who used to drag To begin with, an applicant for a posithe chain and figure out angles and tion has to give an account of himself. curves on the track is now the super-intendent of a division. The boy who

I often wondered as I watched him Connecticut's Population 1.114.756. The population of the state of Con-

> Mr. Valentine's Mission. Robert G. Valentine, commissioner of

or 21.7 per cent.

Hats in Salutation. From the Manila Times. "The capital of our northernmost prov-

ISLAND OF BATANES.

ince, Santo Domingo de Basco, on the islands among a population of about cupied by men who have risen from During the last few years one of the Island of Batanes, is an interesting place. S.O.O. There were but five with the standard to the last few years one of the Island of Batanes, is an interesting place. the ranks. On my own division of a avenues of employment on the railroad The route of our transports lies a few twenty-seven years; the governor, who, I hours' steaming west of the group, pass- was told, is a Spaniard: two Spaniards small station work up into the posi- of the trainmen are now largely recruited ing between them and the Island of For- who are cattle buyers, and one American mosa on their way to Nagasaki, yet com- connected with the bureau of public paratively few Americans have visited works. "There is not a single store in the this group of islands," said Dr. Louis town. The sole industry is the raising of Ottofy, who has recently returned from cattle, which are called for by steamers

any other town in the Philippines. In steamer for the first port on the Island the first place, all the buildings are of stone and whitewashed. The roofs are made of cogon grass, closely trimmed, so as to afford no purchase to the severe typhoons which sweep over the islands. "The streets are about twelve feet wide, and held to a miserable job with grim increase of 206.336 or 22.7 per cent over many of them paved with stone. Stone determination, is now the general man- 908,420 in 1900. From 1890 to 1900 Con- walls extend along both sides of the necticut's population increased 162,162 streets their full length, giving them are typhoon swept and no steamer can the appearance of lanes. The walls are approach them, and other times, though about three to five feet in height, broken at intervals for entrances to the yards, which in turn are separated from each other by stone walls. Most of the yards A revival meeting opened Sunday at the were clean and exceptionally neat and centennial exercises of Hopewell Metho-

fenced by a low stone wall, was the acme of neatness "Unlike most Filipino towns, there were fined to walled sections below the level of the streets. I noticed but few dogs, and they seemed to be well fed. There is not a single Chinaman in the town-in fact. for that matter, not one on any of the 8,000. There were but five white men

from Aparri or Manila. When one of the steamers anchors there the cattle are "Santo Domingo has a population of paid for in cash, ranging from \$15 to \$40 a about 2,000, and is entirely different from head. Some of the residents then take the "The women wear a peculiar headdress made of cogon grass to protect them

from the sun and rain, and without one exception each one lifted it in salutation. a regular mail service is now established, they are shut off from outside contact

"The provincial building, presidencia, Md., and will continue for a week. Rev. eastern New York, will in all probability school are all built of stone neatly white- assisted by Robert Downing, a converted washed, and the grass-covered plaza, actor